PLANNING/ STABILIZATION GRANTS 31 awards \$1,005,000

*American Association of Museums

Washington, DC \$105,000 To support the Cultural Tourism Leadership Initiative.

Arts Council of Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, OK \$12,690 To support a planning process to develop the Stage Center performing arts facility into a venue for diverse and creative arts activities.

Arts Council of Roanoke Valley

Roanoke, VA \$17,290

To support efforts to stabilize the arts in Roanoke through programming for local artists, arts organizations, and children.

Arts Council of Santa Clara County

San Jose, CA \$35,000

To support the community cultural planning process of the Arts Council of Santa Clara County in conjunction with the City of San Jose Office of Cultural Affairs.

Arts Council of Topeka, Inc. Topeka, KS \$39,380

To support efforts to stabilize local arts organizations by improving technical assistance services, expanding arts programs for children, and strengthening the council's administrative functions.

Arts North Carolina, Inc. Raleigh, NC \$8,750

To support Arts North Carolina's professional development programs for local arts agencies around the state.

Bronx Council on the Arts Bronx, NY \$35,000

To support a new outreach program designed to foster partnerships between arts organizations and community-based organizations.

California Assembly of Local Arts Agencies San Francisco, CA \$35,000

To support the assembly's professional development programs for 300 local arts agencies and service providers throughout California.

Catamount Film and Arts Co.

St. Johnsbury, VT \$39,380
To support the expanding education programs and partnerships with human service and community development agencies.

Cibola Arts Council, Inc. Grants, NM \$34.890

To support the council's Community Arts Program as part of the Cibola County's Future Family Foundation Center project.

City of Berkeley, California Berkeley, CA \$21,870

To support a stabilization initiative that will provide services and programs to artists and arts organizations in Berkeley.

City of Edmonds, Washington

Edmonds, WA \$6,880

To support the commission's efforts to strengthen community arts groups through leadership training sessions.

City of Portland, Maine

Portland, ME \$21,000

To support a collaboration between the Portland Arts and Cultural Alliance and the City of Portland, Maine to develop Portland's first cultural plan.

City of South Lake Tahoe South Lake Tahoe, CA

\$11,590

To support a technical assistance program for artists, arts organizations, and other cultural groups in the Tahoe Basin.

Colquitt/Miller Arts Council, Inc.

Colquitt, GA \$14,000

To support technical workshops and administrative staff to enhance the presentation of a folk life play based on the history of southwest Georgia.

Copper Village Museum and Arts Center of Deer Lodge County

Anaconda, MT \$12,250

To support the development of a new earned income venture that will produce a long-term revenue source for the Copper Village Museum and Arts Center.

Fairbanks Arts Association Fairbanks, AK \$15,400

To support a long-range planning process to develop a community cultural plan for Fairbanks.

Lake Agassiz Arts Council Fargo, ND \$43,750

To support the Lake Agassiz Arts Council, in partnership with the North Dakota Local Arts Council Consortium, with a stabilization project to strengthen the state's eight local arts agencies.

Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, Inc.

New York, NY \$26,250

To support the creation of a digital arts center in collaboration with New York City Partnership, a non-profit consortium representing business interests in lower Manhattan.

Madera County Arts Council

Madera, CA \$13,120

To support an arts education program in the elementary schools of Madera County.

Merced Regional Arts Council, Inc.

Merced, CA \$10,240

To support programming for the Merced Multicultural Arts Center, a multidisciplinary facility for arts training, performances, education, exhibits, and youth services.

MetroArts of the Capital Region

Harrisburg, PA \$39,380

To support a stabilization project that will assist small, diverse, emerging arts organizations in Harrisburg to reach organizational and artistic excellence.

Metropolitan Arts Council Omaha, NE \$31,500

To support the council's efforts to stabilize the arts with an accessible, quality venue for presenting art, and a program of resources and technology services for artists.

Missoula Cultural Exchange

Missoula, MT \$29,430

To support the council's stabilization project, emphasizing arts education and cultural tourism.

National Assembly of Local Arts Agencies

Washington, DC \$200,000

A cooperative agreement for Services to the Field.

Network of Local Arts Agencies of Washington State

Olympia, WA \$24,500

To support the network's efforts to stabilize its services for local arts agencies around the state.

Pasadena Arts Council

Pasadena, CA \$21,000

To support "The Children's Center for the Arts" program in cooperation with the Pasadena Unified School District, providing in-depth visual and performing arts experiences to elementary school students.

Pierce County Arts Commission

Tacoma, WA \$35,000
To support the expansion of the commission's First
Night arts festival into four county locations, providing new earned income for the commission and stimulating greater participation in arts activities.

Public Corporation for the Arts of the City of Long Beach

Long Beach, CA \$35,000 To support a comprehensive technical assistance program for artists and arts organizations in Long Beach.

Wayne County Council for the Arts

Lyons, NY \$12,960 To support a five-county needs assessment and community planning

Wisconsin Assembly of Local Arts Agencies, Inc. Madison, WI \$17,500

process.

To support the assembly's programs that strengthen the organizational capacity of Wisconsin's 70 local arts agencies.

*WRITERS CORPS 6 cooperative agreements \$581,765

WritersCorps Programs

An interagency partnership with the Corporation for National & Community Service to support the second year of Writers Corps, a project that offers opportunities for 75 American writers to work directly with local social service providers, community activists, and schools to enhance learning for children and adults who lack basic academic skills in creative writing.

Bronx Council on the Arts Bronx, NY \$308,450 To support the Bronx Writers Corps.

Bronx Council on the Arts
Bronx, NY \$25,000
To provide additional
funding for Bronx Writers
Corps.

Caliber Associates Washington, DC \$17,988 To support the National Writers Corps project.

California Assembly of Local Arts Agencies San Francisco, CA \$59,733 To support an evaluation of the Writers Corps project.

California Assembly of Local Arts Agencies San Francisco, CA \$37,500 To provide additional funding for San Francisco Writers Corps.

Humanities Council of D.C. Washington, DC \$37,500 To support the Washington, D.C. Writers Corps.

National Association of Service & Conservation Corps

Washington, DC \$95,594
To support the National
Writers Corps project.

ARTS FOR YOUTH 1 cooperative agreement \$120,000

The YouthArts Development Project

A consortium of three local arts agencies from Portland, Oregon, San Antonio, Texas, and Atlanta, Georgia, to expand successful prototypes for Arts for Youth programs.